



Docket No.: A-67520-5/RMA (475852-10)  
Application Serial No. 10/789,773

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

First Named Inventor:	<b>Gerard S. Moloney</b>	Confirmation No.:	<b>1907</b>
Appln. No.:	<b>10/789,773</b>	Examiner:	<b>Timothy V. Eley</b>
Filing Date:	<b>February 27, 2004</b>	Group Art Unit:	<b>3724</b>
Title:	<b>Chemical Mechanical Polishing Head Assembly Having Floating Wafer Carrier and Retaining Ring</b>		

PETITION FOR 2 MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of 2-months from November 6, 2004 to January 6, 2005 within which to respond to the Response to Office Action dated August 6, 2004. A check in the amount of \$450.00 is enclosed herewith to cover the extension fee. Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account No. 50-2319 (Order No. A-67520-5/RMA (475852-10)).

Respectfully submitted,  
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